Agricultural Income Tax.

30. *MR. N. D. PARAMESWARAN NAMCOODIRI (*The Travancore Jenmies—North*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of Agricultural Income tax assessments made from Chingom 1120 to Mithunam 1121;

(*b*) the number of appeals preferred; and

(*c*) the number of appeals allowed?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) 2,237.

(*b*) 361.

(*c*) 70.

MR. N. D. PARAMESWARAN NAMBOODIRI: May I know whether any appeals are pending?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER: Yes, Sir.

MR. N. D. PARAMESWARAN NAMBOODIRI: May I know their approximate number.

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER: About 261.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: May I know the number of appeals preferred against the assessment of income tax?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER: I claim notice. The member only asked information about petitions to Government. No petitions have been received by Government.

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31. *MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the amount collected in the years 1119 and 1120 under Agricultural income tax;

(*b*) the number of petitions received by the Government complaining against the assessments of the above two years;

(*c*) the number of such petitions disposed—

i. making alterations in the assessment;

ii. the number of petitions dismissed;

iii. the number of petitions still pending enquiry; and

(*d*) whether any reduction has been made in land tax for those from whom the agricultural income-tax has been levied for 1119 and 1120?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER: (*a*) 1119—Rs. 16,79,140-4-0.
1120—Rs. 17,70,795-26-11.

(*b*) Nil.

(*c*) In view of answer to (*b*) this does not arise.

(*d*) No; but the amount of land tax paid has been allowed as a deduction in computing the net agricultural income.

Checking Inspectors.

32. *MR. N. D. PARAMESWARAN NAMBOODIRI: Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Checking Inspectors of the Transport Department in the Alwaye District?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER: Two.

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